THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S.RAO

WRIT PETITION No.21201 of 2006

Dated:13-10-2006

Between:

T. Ramareddy yar.

..... PETITIONER

AND

The Sarpanch, Koyyetipadu Gram Panchayat and another.

.....RESPONDENTS

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ORDER:

The petitioner is resident of Koyyetipadu Village of Penumantra Mandal in West Godavari District. He is owner of land admeasuring Acs.2.68 cents in R.S.No.221 of Kakileru Village. On the southern side of the petitioner's land, Government land admeasuring Acs.4.73 cents in R.S.No.116 of Koyyetipadu Village with 40 feet wide road meant for ingress and egress is situated. The petitioner alleges that the respondents are taking steps to convert said 40 feet wide road in R.S.No.116 for providing house sites, in which event the petitioner would be put to loss. Therefore, he filed instant writ petition seeking a Mandamus directing the respondents not to change the nature of the land in R.S.No.116.

The learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue (General) opposed the writ petition. He submits that before approaching this Court, the petitioner has not even approached the respondent No.2, namely the Mandal Revenue Officer. Therefore, this Court is not inclined to interfere in the matter. Liberty is given to the petitioner to approach the respondent No.2 and make representation, whereupon the respondent No.2 shall conduct inspection in the presence of the petitioner and the representative of Gram Panchayath and take decision in the matter.

The writ petition, with the above observations, is accordingly dismissed. No costs.

(**V.V.S.RAO, J**)

13th October, 2006

Note: Issue CC by 17-10-2006

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